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OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT

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Mr. Matthew Baird  
Director of Training  
Central Intelligence Agency  
2430 E Street N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Baird

During the period 14 November 1960 to 20 January 1961 the War College will be engaged in a comprehensive study of "Factors Affecting U. S. Military Strategy." We are very desirous of including a presentation on "The Central Intelligence Agency."


Mr. L. B. Kirkpatrick of your agency visited Air University during the past summer and gave a highly interesting and informative presentation on the Central Intelligence Agency. We would like to have Mr. Kirkpatrick return to Maxwell on the 30th of November to give this presentation to the War College. In a telephone conversation with Colonel Tudor, of my staff, Mr. Kirkpatrick informally expressed his willingness to give this address.

It would be deeply appreciated if Mr. Kirkpatrick could be made available for this presentation on 30 November. One fifty-minute lecture period, followed by a fifty-minute discussion period, has been reserved for this coverage.

A copy of a proposed lecture scope is enclosed. This lecture scope is, of course, only a suggested outline. I would appreciate any changes to this scope which you would recommend so that it will be in conformity with the lecture which Mr. Kirkpatrick would present. If desired, a member of the War College faculty will visit your office to discuss any appropriate details.

We deeply appreciate your support of the program of the War College and hope that Mr. Kirkpatrick can be made available to address us on 30 November.

Sincerely

  
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Major General, USAF  
Commandant

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